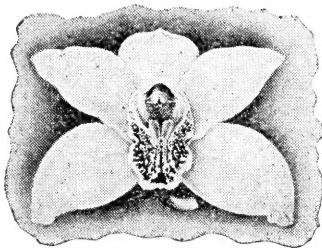


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Sherman Orchid Gardens

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Orchids of Quality and Distinction

WE AGAIN TAKE PLEASURE in presenting a new offering of select Cymbidium hybrids. It is well known that our stock of fine stud plants is most extensive and it includes the finest proven and prize winning varieties in existence. We are, of course, continually adding to this fine stud collection both from our own originations as well as from the finest new developments from all over the world. Many of these new creations are represented in this listing.

We specialize in Cymbidium and Cypripedium Orchids. Our area here and in the Hope Ranch of Santa Barbara makes our nursery one of the largest wholesale and retail nurseries devoted to the development and production of fine Cymbidium orchids.

This offering is not only outstanding in point of quality, but we believe that it represents the finest selection ever offered.

IN OUR BREEDING PROGRAM, we keep in mind the need to develop and grow many different types to meet the ever changing tastes of the public. This necessitates the use of all present types which include the finest of Diploid and Tetraploid parents. We are now also using the one known Pentaploid parent for breeding which is one step above in the polyploid cycle over the Tetraploid.

A visit to the Nursery will give convincing evidence of the superb quality of our stud plants and of our stock.

The hundreds of repeat orders and enthusiastic letters which we receive from our customers are not only a great source of pleasure to us, but are your assurance of quality and satisfaction as well.

You may order by mail or make your selection at the Nursery—your order will receive our personal attention. All of the plants listed in this offering are sturdy pot grown plants, well rooted and healthy. We are open every day—including Sunday.

*The prize winners of tomorrow will come
from the fine seedlings of today*

UNFLOWERED CYMBIDIUM SEEDLINGS -- LIST NO. 26

			Length of 6"-12"	Leaves 12"-up	SIZES & PRICES
L-57	BLUE RIVER (BEATRICE, 'SUPERBA' X BLUE SMOKE, 'MANDARIN')	A fine gold type, free flowering combined with an extra large fine green. Both parents have good red banded lips and many fine things are assured.	*	\$5.00	First Bulb & Growth
L-60	CAROUSEL (INTERNATIONAL, FINE X PAUWELSII, 'COMTE de HEMPTINNE' F.C.C.-R.H.S.)	This combination has proved to be strong growing and by the use of a famous tetraploid, Pauwelsii, 'Comte de Hemptinne,' will, we are sure, produce many excellent flowers of fine coloring borne on long spikes.	*	5.00	7.50 12.50
L-62	INTERNATIONAL, FINE X BLUE SMOKE, 'MANDARIN'	Here again, two fine quality green parents were used. Both have red banded lip markings and produce flowers of good heavy texture on fine spikes. High production and fine quality are combined.	*	*	7.50 12.50
L-64	BLUE SMOKE, 'MANDARIN' X NELL GWINNNE, FINE VAR.	Two fine large flowering parents, both good producers, give promise of very choice flowers with long spikes of green to golden colored flowers.	*	*	7.50 12.50
L-67	MINIVET, FINE X BLUE SMOKE, 'MANDARIN'	The rich golden yellow of the first parent combined with our finest green variety is expected to produce richly colored types with fine lip markings and strong heavy texture.	*	*	7.50 12.50
L-68	BLUE SMOKE, 'MANDARIN' X PAUWELSII, 'AUREUM,' A.M.-R.H.S.	Here we have combined a beautiful concolor with the very large flowered, strong growing, and free flowering Blue Smoke, 'Mandarin.' This should produce a hybrid of appealing beauty and an outstanding producer.	\$3.00	5.00	7.50 12.50
L-69	WOODHAMSIANUM, 'CONCOLOR' X BLUE SMOKE, 'MANDARIN'	Many choice clear lucent green flowers are expected from this combination.	3.00	5.00	7.50 12.50
L-71	BLUE SMOKE, 'MANDARIN' X MARMIE KINGSFORD	Here again, the outstanding qualities of our famous Blue Smoke, 'Mandarin,' along with yet another hybrid of vigor and high production, should assure flowers of quantity and quality in green tones with red marked lips.	*	5.00	7.50 12.50
L-72	BLUE SMOKE, FINE VAR. X GOLDFINCH, 'MAGNIFICUM'	Golden colored flowers should predominate along with greens and yellows, carried on long spikes.	*	*	*

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PLEASE NOTE: Check if we may be allowed to substitute sizes of plants when necessary to complete your order.

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L-73	BLUE SMOKE (BLUE SMOKE, FINE VAR. X BLUE SMOKE, 'MANDARIN')	*	*	7.50	*	
	Using two fine varieties of Blue Smoke holds promise of improvement for this famous strain of top quality green flowering hybrids.					
L-86	MIRETTA X ALEXANDERI, 'WESTONBIRT' F.C.C.-R.H.S.....	*	*	7.50†	*	
	This cross speaks for itself. A few have flowered and are proving to be fine pastel colored flowers of large size, fine shape and texture. Limited quantity. † NOTE: Bulb may not be made up.					
L-90	BLUE SMOKE, 'MANDARIN' X CLAUCIS.....	*	5.00	7.50	12.50	
	We expect this vigorous group of seedlings to give a very high yield of quality flowers on long spikes with colors of yellow and green predominating.					
L-105	BLUE SMOKE, 'MANDARIN' X CLARISSA.....	*	*	7.50	12.50	
	Blue Smoke, 'Mandarin,' was again used, combined with a very broad lipped, pink Clarissa. This cross has produced a very vigorous group of seedlings and should yield long spikes of well placed flowers with fine lips. Many unusual and attractive color combinations expected.					
(E)L-116	HANBURYANUM, 'MAGNIFICUM' A.M.-R.H.S. X AUTUMN TINTS, 'HOLIDAY'	3.00	5.00	7.50	*	
	Hanburyanum, A.M., is one of the most consistant early flowering parents. Combined with the early flowering Autumn Tints with its lovely white flowers, this cross should produce many profitable early flowers.					
L-149	EUROPA (GOLDFINCH, 'MAGNIFICUM' X PEARL, 'MAGNIFICUM' F.C.C.-R.H.S.).....	*	*	7.50	12.50	
	A remake of a proven cross using the finest parents available.					
(E)L-205	TRACYANUM X BLUE SMOKE, 'MANDARIN'	3.00	5.00	7.50	*	
	We consider both parent plants to be the finest varieties. Each bears flowers with over a 5" spread, and 15 to 20 and more per spike. These seedlings are very strong growing and should produce many large and valuable flowers for the early market in green, yellow and gold tones.					
L-210	JOY SANDER, 'SIRDAR' X RAMBODA, 'NEPTUNE'	3.00	5.00	7.50	*	
	Flowers of heavy substance and texture, and of large size should predominate with rich deep color tones. Possible colors will range in chocolate, red as well as greens.					
(E)L-264	AMDORA X AUTUMN TINTS, 'HOLIDAY'	3.00	*	*	*	
	Yet another early cross of merit which should yield high returns for the early market. Colors primarily in white and pink.					
L-265	PEARL, 'MAGNIFICUM' F.C.C.-R.H.S. X WESTMONT, FINE.....	*	5.00	7.50	*	
	Flower color mainly in gold tones, of large size with fine long spikes.					
L-268	LUTESCENS, FINE X CANDACE, 'MARDI GRAS'	3.00	5.00	*	*	
	It is rather hard to predict colors for this cross, probable gold, yellow and possibly some good red flowers will be seen. Heavy substance, good spike habit and flowers of good size expected.					
(E)L-269	AMDORA X INDIAN SUMMER, FINE VAR.....	3.00	*	*	*	
	This cross should yield high returns for the Christmas Holidays with flowers of pink color predominating.					
(E)L-270	AUTUMN TINTS, 'HOLIDAY' X GUELDA, CHOICE VAR.....	3.00	5.00	7.50	12.50	
	Two fine early flowering hybrids should, we feel, produce many very valuable and choice Christmas flowering offspring, on tall upright spikes. These are a sturdy lot and should flower on small plants. White flowers should prevail.					
I-274	REATRICE 'SLIPPERY' X PALIWESII, 'COMTE de HEMP TINNE' F.C.C.-R.H.S.....	*	5.00	*	*	
	Two very free flowering strong growing parents producing large flowers on good stems will yield many large heavy textured flowers. Colors pink to gold.					
L-278	LUTESCENS, FINE VAR. X FAIRY PRINCESS, VERY FINE VAR.....	3.00	5.00	7.50	*	
	The expectancy from this combination is very high and should present a quantity of choice flowers of beauty and heavy substance. Colors expected are mainly fine pinks and yellows.					
(E)L-283	AUTUMN TINTS, 'HOLIDAY' X PETER GRIMES, FINE VAR.....	3.00	5.00	*	*	
	The seedlings from these two fine early flowering hybrids should yield a high percentage of very valuable Christmas flowers, mainly in choice white and pink shades. We are looking forward with a great deal of anticipation to this lot.					
(E)L-284	HANBURYANUM, 'MAGNIFICUM' A.M.-R.H.S. X JOHN SANDER, CHOICE VAR.....	3.00	5.00	*	*	
	Another meritorious early flowering cross with many interesting colors sure to be seen.					
L-294	WOODHAMSIANUM, CONCOLOR X FAIRY PRINCESS, FINE.....	3.00	5.00	*	*	
	This cross should produce many lovely pastel colored flowers.					
(E)L-295	AMDORA X PETER GRIMES, FINE.....	3.00	*	*	*	
	Principally pink flowers should come from this valuable early cross.					
(E)L-310	HANBURYANUM, 'MAGNIFICUM' A.M.-R.H.S. X LUSTROUS....	3.00	*	*	*	
	Another valuable early group similar to the above L-284.					

			SIZES & PRICES		
		Length of 6"-12"	Leaves 12"-up	First Bulb & Growth	Pre- Flowering
(E)L-312	AMDORA X LUSTROUS.....	3.00	5.00	*	*
	This cross should be similar to L-269 above. Also early flowering.				
L-314	WOODHAMSIANUM, CONCOLOR X FLAMINGO, 'NOBILIOR' F.C.C.-R.H.S.	*	5.00	*	*
	Here we have used the famous 'pentaploid' parent, Flamingo, 'Nobilior,' whose chromosome count is yet one step above that of the fine parent Alexanderi, 'Westonbirt,' which is a 'tetraploid.' This group of seedlings should produce fine quality flowers of heavy substance and good form. Colors should include fine white, pink, yellow with the possibility of some delicate green shades. Flamingo, 'Nobilior,' has produced many fine things such as Queen Mary and Queen Elizabeth, to name but two.				
L-318	LUTESCENS, FINE VAR. X RAMBODA, FINE.....	3.00	5.00	*	*
	Here we expect large flowers of good substance with long spikes. Should prove to be strong growing and floriferous, and should bear a large percentage of yellow and golden colored flowers.				
(E)L-335	AUTUMN TINTS, 'HOLIDAY' X INDIAN SUMMER, 'NOCTURNE'	3.00	*	*	*
	Whites and pink flowers on tall stems for the Holiday season.				
(E)L-337	DELYSIA X PETER GRIMES, FINE VAR.....	3.00	5.00	*	*
	Sturdy and strong growing, here is another fine early flowering group that we feel assured should yield many very lovely white and pink colored flowers for the important early season.				
(E)L-346	INDIAN SUMMER, 'NOCTURNE' X LILLIANA, CHOICE VAR.....	3.00	5.00	*	*
	This vigorous group of seedlings is expected to produce long spikes of large early flowers in shades of rose and red. There should be some outstanding flowers result from this cross.				
(E)L-349	PARSIFAL, 'ROSEUM' X DOREEN.....	3.00	5.00	*	*
	Two fine varieties of early flowering hybrids will, we feel, furnish many very choice early flowers of good form. Colors should range in pinks and reds.				
L-375	BERNADETTE X PAUWELSII, 'COMTE de HEMPTINNE' F.C.C.-R.H.S.	3.00	*	*	*
	Bernadette has proven one of the most successful recent hybrids derived from Alexanderi 'Westonbirt.' The results should give the finest in 'Westonbirt' types, with a good percentage of lovely pinks.				
L-377	SWALLOW (ALEXANDERI, 'WESTONBIRT' F.C.C.-R.H.S. X PAUWELSII, 'COMTE de HEMPTINNE' F.C.C.-R.H.S.).....	3.00	*	*	*
	A remake of this famous cross, using both of the 'tetraploid' parents. Unexcelled as a heavy producer of prize winning quality—beautiful pastel shades.				
L-379	BODMIN MOOR (ALEXANDERI, 'WESTONBIRT' F.C.C.-R.H.S. X ERICA SANDER).....	3.00	5.00	*	*
	Again a remake of a famous cross that produces top quality flowers on long spikes. Pastels in ivory, cream and pale green tones.				
L-412	SPARTAN QUEEN, 'FLAME' X CERES, 'F. J. HANBURY' F.C.C.-R.H.S	*	5.00	*	*
	This combination should produce some of the finest red Cymbidiums yet seen.				
L-492	PAUWELSII (PAUWELSII, 'THE KING' A.M.-R.H.S. X PAUWELSII, 'COMTE de HEMPTINNE' F.C.C.-R.H.S.).....	3.00	5.00	*	*
	Combining the famous 'tetraploid' with the large 'diploid' form will we believe be a top producer of quality flowers. A large percentage should be very desirable shades of pink and red.				
L-493	CLARISSA, 'SAMARKAND' X PAUWELSI, 'COMTE de HEMPTINNE' F.C.C.-R.H.S.....	3.00	5.00	*	*
	Again using the famous 'tetraploid,' with one of the finest large heavy rose colored flowers carried on long spikes, should assure some of the best pink, rose and red flowers to be seen.				
L-494	CANDACE, 'MARDI GRAS' X CERES, 'F. J. HANBURY' F.C.C.-R.H.S	*	5.00	*	*
	We are confident that many choice red colored flowers will result from this combination.				

SPECIAL

With each 10 seedlings purchased we will include one free, or on volume seedling orders the following discounts will be granted:
on \$200.00 or over..... 20% discount
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All plants are offered subject to prior sale and prices are subject to change without notice. This list cancels all previous lists and special quotations on seedlings. Payment should accompany order and all California purchasers should add 3% State Sales Tax. All orders are packed free of charge and unless specific shipping instructions are furnished, we will forward by Railway Express collect. **We suggest that you indicate a second choice when ordering.**

MATURE PLANTS AND PROPAGATIONS

Our stock of top quality Cymbidiums is well known to those who have visited the Nursery, and many fine exhibition and stud varieties are available for the discriminating Orchid fancier, and for the hybridizer. Among these are varieties which have won the highest awards wherever fine orchids have been exhibited, and whose progeny are setting new standards and winning new honors today.

Many of the world famous plants can be seen in bloom during the flowering season and you are cordially invited to visit the Nursery when in our vicinity.

We invite your inquiry for specific varieties or types, either for exhibition or stud varieties. We will also be glad to suggest individual plants or groups in any requested price range.